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Together for Hayward downtown grand reopening celebration—Saturday, July 10

HAYWARD, Calif., July 1, 2021— The City of Hayward Economic Development Division, Hayward Chamber of Commerce and the Downtown Hayward Improvement Association are teaming up to hold a downtown grand re-opening celebration from noon to 6 p.m. Saturday, July 10.

Following on the heels of the July Fourth weekend, the special downtown grand reopening *Together for Hayward* event is a celebration of the lifting of COVID-19 restrictions and inviting residents and new visitors alike to explore and support our diverse community of shops and restaurants.

The Together for Hayward event will be centered in the intersection of B and Main streets—which will be closed to vehicle traffic—and will begin at noon with a ribbon-cutting ceremony with Mayor Barbara Halliday officially re-opening downtown.

Activities and attractions also will include promotions and specials at downtown restaurants and retail shops; live and DJ music at The Bistro, SKA Dog Records and The Stacks Records Shop; and more than 30 booths with offerings by and from local arts and crafts vendors, community organizations, and local government and public agencies.

To learn more and view a shareable promotional video, go online <u>here</u> on the City of Hayward website.